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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Verrips  
Serial No.: 09/880,199  
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For: Lactobacillus Containing Product

Group: 1761  
Examiner: Keith Hendricks  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Please consider the following response, together with the accompanying RCE and request for two month extension.